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Serial N	o. 09/058,333 filed on April 9, 1998		o£			
Jona	than A. Bard et al.	for				
Invent	or(s)					
DN.	A ENCODING GALANIN GALR3 RECEPTORS AND USES THEREOF					
Title	of Invention					
1. X	Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, as original filed and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy.	ly				
2. <u>X</u>	A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and 1.27					
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Independent Claims	6-3	=	3	x	<b>\$</b> 42	\$ 84	=	\$126.00	\$ 0
Multiple Dependent Claims Presented: X Yes No					\$ 140	\$ 280	=	\$140.00	\$ 0
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		Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.
		The issue fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.311(b).
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		Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:This is acontinuationdivision of application Serial No, filed
<b>9</b> .	<u> </u>	$19$ Sheet(s) of informal $_{X}$ formal drawing(s) is/are enclosed.
10.		Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file.
11.		Priority of application No filed on
		(country) is claimed under 37 U.S.C. §119.
		The certified copy of the priority application has been filed in prior application Serial No, filed
12.	<u> </u>	The prior application is assigned of record to Synaptic Pharmaceutical Corporation
13.	<u>X</u>	A preliminary amendment is enclosed. Information Disclosure Statement
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